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NOT FOR CITATION
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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AARON JAMES PIERCE,)
Plaintiff,)
vs.)
MATTHEW MARTEL, et al.,)
Defendants.)

No. C 08-02630 JF (PR)
ORDER OF TRANSFER
(Docket Nos. 2 & 3)14 Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, filed the instant civil rights action
15 pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 concerning the conditions of his confinement at the
16 California Rehabilitation Center in Norco, California. Because the acts complained
17 of occurred, and the Defendants are located, in Riverside County, which lies within
18 the venue of the Eastern Division of the Central District of California, 28 U.S.C. §
19 84(c)(1), venue properly lies in that district and not in this one. See 28 U.S.C. §
20 1391(b). Accordingly, this case is TRANSFERRED to the United States District
21 Court for the Eastern Division of the Central District of California. See 28 U.S. C. §
22 1406(a). The Court will defer to the Central District on Plaintiff's motion to proceed
23 in forma pauperis. (Docket Nos. 2 & 3.) The Clerk shall terminate all pending
24 motions and transfer the entire file to the Eastern Division of the Central District of
25 California.26 IT IS SO ORDERED.
27 DATED: 8/21/08

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JEREMY FOGEL
United States District Judge